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Valedictory of *'Mysuru Chalo' Padayatra*

Show of strength by BJP-JD(S) alliance

Former CM B.S. Yediyurappa, BJP leaders B.Y. Vijayendra, Radha Mohan Das Agarwal and R. Ashoka and Union Ministers H.D. Kumaraswamy and Pralhad Joshi at the valedictory of** Mysuru Chalo Padayatra **at Maharaja's College Grounds in city this morning.

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RK&BS)- Thousands of BJP-Janata Dal (Secular) workers gathered for the valedictory of the *Mysuru Chalo Padayatra* at Maharaja's College Grounds this morning.

Held a day after Congress *Janandolana* Convention at the same venue, this event became a display of strength for both the saffron and regional parties against their common rival, Congress, which is allegedly embroiled in scandals.

Former CM B.S. Yediyurappa, Union Ministers H.D. Kumaraswamy and Pralhad Joshi, BJP Karnataka Incharge Radha Mohan Das Agarwal, State BJP President B.Y. Vijayendra, Opposition Leader in Legislative Assembly R. Ashok, Opposition Leader in Legislative Council Chalavadi Narayan Swamy, and other BJP-JD(S) leaders inaugurated Convention by offering floral tributes to the portraits of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, Maharshi Valmiki and Goddess Bhuvaneshwari.

In response to allegations made by Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar against Yediyurappa and JD(S) leader H.D. Deve Gowda's family during the Congress Convention, various documents related to the allocation of 14 sites under the 50:50 scheme to B.M. Parvathi, wife of Siddaramaiah, were displayed on an LED screen at the event.

(See STRENGTH on page 6)

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"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Saturday 10th August 2024

Style Bazaar Expo to conclude this evening

Style Bazaar, a two-day designer and lifestyle exhibition, began at Hotel Southern Star in city yesterday. The 'Varamahalakshmi Festive Edit' will be open for visitors till 8 pm today. Seen during the inauguration are** (from left) **Organiser Sheetal Jain with guests of honour — Artist Shivani Tuteja, Dr. Hemamalini Lakshman and Architect Chaitra Rangaswamy.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

ON BEING HUMAN: *A Professor was walking down the road, lost in thought. He happened to bump into a man who fell to the ground. Picking himself up, the man dusted himself and asked the Professor angrily, "Who are you?"*

The Professor smiled at him and said, "That is exactly what I was thinking! Who am I?"

This is not an easy question to answer for it can cast you into varied realms of thought, which is perhaps one reason why when we introduce ourselves, we do so in terms of what we do for a living. We are teachers, engineers, doctors etc. We identify so much with what we do, that we hardly realise we have turned into human doings and not human beings.

We count our worth in terms of the career we pursue. This of course is neither unusual nor wrong. Our parents and well-wishers groom us into what they think will suit our innate talents. Getting a job that will satisfy us materially and psychologically becomes an overpowering desire, a goal that we willingly work hard to achieve.

Inevitably though, this comes to an end — we retire or lose our jobs for various reasons. It dawns on us that there is more to life than what we do. A job is only a livelihood but not our entire identity. What we are is as important as we do. It is certainly necessary to provide the family with things but it is even more important to provide them with your 'self.'

We all have the ability to love, to be considerate and help others, to show compassion and to share misery and joy. Everyone is capable of distinguishing between right and wrong and acting morally, in defiance of strong temptations. Each day brings opportunities to know more, to grow into a better person, to control anger and to forgive. These traits are not lost even if you lose your job.

There is also tremendous joy in finding goodness in yourself, which runs much deeper than material success. Genuine identity lies in the esteem one possesses not for what one does but for what one is — a human being and not a human doing!

—Leela Ramaswamy in Deccan Herald

NEWS SPARKLERS

Drone show breaks world record twice

San Diego: A drone show themed around the film Deadpool & Wolverine broke the Guinness World Record for the largest aerial display of a fictional character formed by drones — twice.

The drone show by Sky Elements, which was co-sponsored by Marvel, set the record at San Diego Comic-Con by using 1,599 drones to form an image of Deadpool, the hero played by Ryan Reynolds in the film.

The show broke the same record moments later with an image of Hugh Jackman's character, Wolverine, featuring 1,607 drones. "The company's main goal with this record was to showcase our abilities like never before," Tyler Kubicz, production manager at Sky Elements, told Guinness World Records.

9-year-old stuns audience at Kung Fu Games

Henan: Zhang Sixuan, a 9-year-old girl from China's Henan province, bested some of the world's most elite kung fu masters to earn the title "Shaolin Kung Fu Star" at this year's World Shaolin Games.

An international cast of 124 kung fu practitioners was invited to show off their skills at a Shaolin Temple in central China's Henan Province, in front of kung fu masters and audience of kung fu enthusiasts. Among them was Zhang Sixuan whose flexibility and mastery of tong zi gong (a form of Shaolin kung fu) stunned judges and the crowd, earning her the coveted title of Shaolin Kung Fu Star.

Zhang Sixuan's achievement is extraordinary. However, watching her perform tong zi gong routine, it's easy to say that she earned the honour through years of hard work.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Myth: Many mothers can't produce enough milk.
Fact: Almost all mothers produce the right amount of milk for their babies. Breastmilk production is determined by how well the baby is latched on to the breast, the frequency of breastfeeding and how well the baby is removing milk with each feeding.

By Mrs. Vinutha S - Lactation Counsellor
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Weekend concerts at Nadabrahma

Vid. Harish

Vidu. Kalavathy

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha has organised two musical programmes — a Saxophone Recital from a young artiste and a Vocal Concert by a senior artiste — at its premises on JLB Road in city for this weekend (Aug. 10 and 11).

Aug. 10 (6 pm): Dr. K. Srikantaiah Memorial Concert sponsored by Dr. K.S. Chandrashekar. A Saxophone recital programme by Vid. Harish Pandava. His accompanist for the concert is Vid. Keshava Mohankumar on violin, Vid. Sunil Subrahmanya on mridanga and Vid. Shamith Gowda on ghata.

Aug. 11 (6 pm): Smt. Vasantalakshmi Memorial Concert sponsored by children, Sheshadri and Indumati. Vidu. Kalavathy Avadhooth will render a Vocal Concert. Vidu. Charulatha Ramanujan on violin, Vid. Tumkur B. Ravishankar on mridanga and Vid. Srinidhi R. Koundinya on ghata will support the concert.

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- ***Hummingbirds are the only birds that can fly backwards, a skill which comes in handy when feeding on the nectar of plants and insects.***
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VOICE OF THE READER

Haphazard parking, traffic woes, filthy streets near City Zoo

Is this how we welcome tourists for Mysuru Dasara 2024?

Sir,

It's heartening to see that District authorities have begun preparations for Dasara festivities a full 10 weeks in advance. However, I'd like to highlight a few persistent issues in the Ittigegud area, particularly around Mysuru Zoo, which have been overlooked year after year despite our repeated requests.

The parking area in front of the Zoo is outdated — about 35 to 40 years old — and cannot accommodate the current volume of vehicles, which has surged dramatically. While a second, larger parking area has been designated at the Exhibition Grounds (Zoo Parking 2), vehicles are not being properly directed there.

As a result, vehicles are haphazardly parked in and around the lanes and main roads of Ittigegud, causing a major nuisance for residents. During long weekends, summer holidays, and especially Dasara, it becomes nearly impossible for us to access our vehicles due to improper traffic management.

The Police must take immediate action by installing clear signage, deploying adequate manpower and ensuring effective patrolling to direct vehicles to the Exhibition parking area. This issue is particularly rampant with taxis, tempo travellers and buses, which often park improperly to avoid parking fees. Strict enforcement is necessary to alleviate this burden on Ittigegud residents. We urge the Police to take these necessary steps to manage traffic and enforce proper parking during the Dasara month.

Another pressing concern is the presence of cattle on the streets of Ittigegud, especially on Manasara Road, from the Zoo towards the Exhibition parking area. The footpaths along this road, as well as those leading to the Mall of Mysore from Siddappa Choultry Circle, are littered with cow dung, making them unusable.

The situation worsens during the rainy season, as the footpaths become slippery and dangerous. Additionally, these footpaths are overgrown with weeds, parthenium plants and heaps of garbage.

The Mysuru City Corporation (MCC), which has been turning a blind eye to these issues, must take action. Is this the way we want to welcome tourists who come to Mysuru for the world-famous Dasara festival? The MCC authorities need to address these issues promptly to ensure the city is clean and ready for the upcoming festival.

—Aggrieved Residents
Ittigegud
6.8.2024

Lokayukta to receive complaints

Mysuru, Aug. 10- The officials of Mysuru Division Lokayukta will receive complaints from members of the public on undue delay in office work, corruption and bribery in Government Offices, on Aug. 14.

The complaints will be received from 11 am to 1 pm at the office of K.R. Nagar Taluk Panchayat in Mysuru, at Yelandur TB (Travellers Bungalow) in Chamarajanagar and at Kushalnagar Taluk Office in Kodagu.

Nypunya remembers JC Wadiyar

Jayachamaraja Wadiyar

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (TRR)- Aug. 9 was the day when erstwhile ruler of Mysore State Sri Jayachamaraja (JC) Wadiyar handed over the affairs of the then Mysore State to Indian Union just days before India became independent. Marking the day, a programme was held at Nypunya School of Excellence in Kanakadasanagar here yesterday.

School Chairman R. Raghu Kautilya, who inaugurated the event by garlanding the portrait of the Wadiyar, spoke about the contributions of Mysore rulers towards implementing the concept of 'Ramarajya' as envisaged by Mahatma Gandhi. Raghu Kautilya specifically hailed the contributions of Sri Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar in this regard.

"The Wadiyar dynasty rulers, who created and ruled Mysore Kingdom, always followed the democratic principles and Jayachamaraja Wadiyar, following the tradition of his predecessors, merged Mysore State with the Indian Union to make India a Republic country. He was the first Indian king to do so. We all should be proud that such ideal kings ruled our State," said Raghu Kautilya and concluded by saying that Aug. 9 should be remembered in this region as a day when Jayachamaraja Wadiyar dedicated himself to the democracy and built a new India, apart from creating awareness among the students about his legacy.

Nypunya School of Excellence Chairman R. Raghu Kautilya offers floral tribute to Jayachamaraja Wadiyar at the School premises yesterday.

A Painting Competition titled 'Chinnara Chittadalli Bharata' was organised to commemorate Independence Day celebrations to create awareness about patriotism and history among students. It was decided to organise debates and other competitions to observe the I-Day in a meaningful way.

School's Academic Dean Vijaya Iyer, Principal Shantini Gerald, Education Coordinator Bhavana Srikant and PRO Ashwini Shankar were present.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Swathi Puja

'Swati Puja' will be performed at Sri Lakshminarasimhaswamy Temple, Kalidasa Road, on Aug. 11. The rituals will begin with Sankalpa at 8 am, followed by Abhisheka at 9 am, Alankara at 10.30 am & Mahamangalarati at 11.30 am. Prakarotsava will be held at 7.30 pm. [Mob: 93421-88323, 75988-32271]

Drawing Competition

A drawing competition for Primary, Higher Primary and High School students has been organised by Maa Foundation tomorrow (Aug. 11) at Mahaveera Vidya Mandir, Srirampura, from 9.30 am to 1 pm. For details, call, Maa Foundation President D. Anitha on Mob: 91086-80534.

Free Health Screening Camp

Sri Janajagarana Trust, Lakshmipuram, Mysuru, has organised free health screening camp at Sri Telugu Reddy Rama Mandira, Pulikeshi Road, Tilaknagar, from 9 am to 1 pm tomorrow (Aug. 11). Suyog Hospital will conduct BP, ECG, Sugar and Echo tests. Dr. Chandrashekar and team will conduct health screening and distribute medicines for free. Eye screening and spectacles distribution at discount price by Trident - Centre for Pranic Healing and Arthatic Yoga's Srivatsa team. For details, call Mob: 74065-55153.

Inauguration

The inauguration of the office of 'Town Vendors Committee' and 'Grievance Redressal Committee' established in MCC Zone 1 Office in Vidyaranyapuram (Ward. 61) will be inaugurated at 10 am on Aug. 12. The Committee heads, members, DAY-NULM officials and other officials of MCC Zone 1 to 9, will be present.

Mass Upakarma

Badaganadu Balaga, Mysuru, has organised mass Rig Upakarma for Trimatastha Brahmin community members at Badaganadu Bhavan in Ramakrishnanagar here on Aug. 19. For registration, contact Mob: 94498-54277, 98455-95505, 94495-89922 before Aug. 13.

Free Training

City's Samarthanam Trust for the Disabled will be conducting a 3-month free computer training & employability skills training to poor unemployed girls. The classes will be held daily from 10 am to 4 pm, during which selected girls will be taught BPO, computer skills and communication skills. The applicants must have passed SSLC and be in the age group of 18 to 35 years. For details, visit the Trust office located at No. 676, New K-21, Near Lakshmi Theatre, Chamaraja Double Road, Mysuru. [Mob: 63648-67818]

Wayanad landslides tragedy

CFTRI sends nutrient-rich food products for survivors, rescuers

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (BCT)- Heavy rains and flash floods on July 30, 2024, triggered multiple landslides in Wayanad, Kerala, devastating three villages — Punjirimattom, Mundakkai and Chooralmala — and affecting nearby villages Meppadi, Attamala and Kunhome. Over 9,300 people are currently housed in 91 relief camps.

In response to this crisis, Mysuru-based Council of Scientific & Industrial Research (CSIR)-Central Food Technological Research Institute (CFTRI) has stepped in to support the landslide survivors and rescuers.

Known for its pioneering research and development in food science and technology, CSIR-CFTRI, under the leadership of Dr. Sridevi Annapurna Singh, has dispatched three batches of nutritionally rich food products to the relief camps in Wayanad. The first batch on Aug. 2, 2024, with subsequent batches sent on Aug. 5 and Aug. 7.

CSIR-CFTRI Director Dr. Sridevi Annapurna Singh, scientists and staff with the relief food materials before being sent to Wayanad.

The relief packages included a variety of food items designed for longer shelf life and to enhance immunity. These items included Nutra spirulina chikki, fortified mango bar, energy and protein-rich burfi for children, gluten-free ragi biscuits, ragi beverage mix, millet upma mix, kokum fruit bar, amla candy, tamarind candy, high-protein rusks, sambar mix, instant sambar powder and infant food formula for babies aged 6 to 10 months.

These products, developed using CSIR-CFTRI technologies, are fortified with essential proteins, vitamins and minerals to combat malnutrition and boost immunity. Special attention was given to infant food (Shishuposhan), addressing the crucial need for nutritious options for infants during such disasters.

In addition to food, CSIR-CFTRI also sent herbal hand sanitisers developed with their technology, along with hand sanitisers and wet wipes provided free of cost by Schevaran Laboratories Pvt. Ltd., Mysuru.

The relief items were delivered to collection centres in Wayanad by CFTRI scientists and staff and were handed over to Anita Kumari, Sub Collector of Wayanad, representing the Government of Kerala.

PFA Mysuru provides critical aid to animals in Wayanad

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (BCT)- The PFA (People For Animals) Mysuru team undertook a vital mission to Chooralmala in Wayanad on Aug. 3, 2024, aiming to provide crucial aid to animals impacted by the devastating landslide in the region.

The team, led by PFA Mysuru Managing Trustee Savitha Nagabhushan carried essential supplies, including medicines like Ringer lactate and Normal Saline, as well as food items such as cattle feed, green grass, paddy straw and dog and cat food.

In this mission, PFA collaborated with a local animal rescue group, Arrow (Animal Rescue Rehabilitation & Overall Wellness), which has been stationed in Chooralmala, working tirelessly to rescue and care for the injured animals.

Together, the teams provided immediate medical treatment and much-needed nourishment, significantly aiding the recovery of the rescued animals. PFA Mysore expressed gratitude for the opportunity to partner with Arrow and other dedicated rescue teams in this noble cause.

Black Kite rescued

In a separate incident yesterday, a black kite became trapped and tangled at Subbarayanakere, Chamarajapuram, in a Manja thread hanging from a mango tree, fifty feet above the ground.

The bird, unable to free itself, was in distress. Upon request, the Fire Department personnel responded promptly, working alongside PFA staff to safely rescue the black kite. The bird was then transferred to the PFA facility for further care and rehabilitation.

The black kite is currently recovering at PFA and will soon be released back into its natural habitat. PFA crew members Nagaraj Urs, S. Ravi, Murthy Shetty, Madesh, and Kumaraswamy were involved.

Obituary

Shivalingegowda

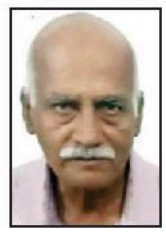
Mysuru, Aug. 10- Shivalingegowda, Proprietor of Shiva Drama Scenery and a theatre artiste, passed away yesterday in city.

He leaves behind his wife, one son, two daughters and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at Karasavadi village in Mandya this morning.

M.A. Bheemaiah

Machcharanda Appaiah Bheemaiah (80), an ex-serviceman and a resident of Vijayanagar, passed away yesterday in city.



He is survived by his wife, two sons and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at Ammathi Onti Angadi Post at Kannamgala village in Virajpet taluk yesterday evening.

Traffic chaos makes a comeback on M.G. Road

Police focus shifts to managing crowd, VIP movements at political rallies

Chaotic traffic on M.G. Road in Mysuru this morning despite 'no parking' rule on the stretch.

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RK & BCT)- One-and-a-half months after the District Administration and City Police cleared Mahatma Gandhi Road (M.G. Road) of traffic snarls caused by haphazardly parked vegetable-laden vehicles, wandering vendors, roadside sales, foraging cattle and stray dogs, the situation has deteriorated back to square one.

The focus of the City Police has shifted due to political rallies against irregularities in the Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) organised by the BJP and JD(S), along with counter-rallies and protests by the Congress.

As a result, the Police are preoccupied with managing crowds at these events and ensuring security for VIPs due to the heightened political activity in the city. This has left them with insufficient resources to maintain order on M.G. Road.

Despite numerous appeals and concerns over an extended period, the issue remains unresolved. Vendors have returned, blatantly ignoring the 'no parking' rule, and stray cows are also back, munching on vegetables and disrupting traffic flow. Vegetable tempos too are back, creating significant chaos and obstructing both motorists and pedestrians.

On June 19, the then Deputy Commissioner (DC) Dr. K.V. Rajendra, the then City Police Commissioner Ramesh Banoth and other officers personally inspected the M.G. Road and asked the vendors to restrict their activities to the market and not spill over to the road.

They instructed that vehicles carrying vegetables and fruits must enter the market rather than being parked on the road. All vehicles were mandated to load and unload produce inside the market premises.

On July 4, the City Police Commissioner designated the M.G. Road as a 'no parking' zone for all types of vehicles, near the vegetable market. There was a ban on parking from the Manasa Road Junction to Underbridge on the M.G. Road, both north and south sides.

Police and Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) sources informed *Star of Mysore* this morning that the traffic situation on M.G. Road will only be addressed after the political rallies conclude. "We cannot make unilateral decisions about relocating vendors without Police support," an MCC officer stated.

All the senior Police officers were busy ensuring order at the BJP-JD(S) rally at Maharaja's College Grounds this morning and as such, their comments were unavailable. Until the political storm settles, commuters, residents, shoppers and tourists will have to navigate through the chaotic traffic on M.G. Road.

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BJP-JD(S) workers march

to Maharaja's College Grounds in large numbers

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (MTY&DM)- The 8-day-long *Mysuru Chalo Padayatra*, launched by BJP-JD(S) alliance from Bengaluru on Aug. 3 to demand Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's resignation over alleged Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) and Valmiki Development Corporation scams, arrived in Mysuru last night.

The march reached J.K. Grounds before today's rally at Maharaja's College Grounds.

Beginning from Kengeri on the Bengaluru-Mysuru Road, the *Padayatra* passed through Bidadi, Ramanagara, Channapatna, Maddur, Mandya, Thubinakere Gate and Srirangapatna, before culminating in Mysuru.

This morning, BJP and JD(S) workers paraded from J.K. Grounds to Shanthala Theatre Junction on Chamaraja Double Road, led by State BJP President B.Y. Vijayendra, JD(S) Youth Wing leader Nikhil Kumaraswamy and other senior leaders.

Despite intermittent rain, participants marched through Chamaraja Double Road and Ramaswamy Circle to Maharaja's College Grounds by 12.30 pm, chanting slogans against CM Siddaramaiah and the Congress Government.

Earlier, Vijayendra and Kumaraswamy, along with local leaders, visited Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple at the Palace North Gate to offer special prayers. They then paid tribute to Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar at K.R. Circle and sought blessings at the Guru Raghavendraswamy Temple near Shanthala Theatre.

Thousands of BJP and JD(S) workers arrived in vans, cars, tempos and buses for the rally. However, some left early due to rain. The workers displayed banners, buntings and flexes along major city roads.

Despite arriving separately under their respective local leaders, both parties aimed to showcase their strength.

Show of strength by BJP-JD(S) alliance

BJP-JD(S) workers en-route Mysuru Chalo Convention in a rally, making way for ambulance at Ramaswamy Circle in the city this morning.

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Former Minister and JD(S) State Working President S.R. Mahesh provided a detailed explanation of these documents, including sanction letters, site allotment records and possession certificates.

Retaliation to Congress charges

In retaliation to the Congress party's flex boards accusing the JD(S) of corruption, the BJP-JD(S) alliance also displayed flex boards featuring news clippings about scams in the Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) and the Karnataka Maharshi Valmiki Scheduled Tribes (ST) Development Corporation Ltd.

Earlier in his address, JD(S) State Core Committee President G.T. Devegowda stated that the *Padayatra* from Bengaluru to Mysuru aimed to expose the Congress Government's corruption.

He emphasised that the current Government should be ousted and replaced with a National Democratic Alliance (NDA) Government. Devegowda criticised the Congress for failing to initiate any development projects in the State even after 14 months in power. "We must win the fight against the MUDA scam and our struggle will continue until the Government falls," he declared.

'CM must resign'

Former Minister B. Sriramulu also took a strong stance against Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, urging him to resign voluntarily out of moral responsibility. "You undertook a *Padayatra* to Ballari 14 years ago and now we are staging a *Padayatra* against you," Sriramulu said.

The *Padayatra*, which arrived in Mysuru last evening, resumed this morning after paying respects at the Sri Guru Raghavendraswamy Mutt on Narayan Shastry Road. BJP State President B.Y. Vijayendra and JD(S) Youth President Nikhil Kumaraswamy led the procession, accompanied by enthusiastic party workers to the convention venue.

Notable attendees included Mysuru-Kodagu MP Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar, Haveri MP and former Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, former MP Prathap Simha, former Ministers C.S. Puttaraju and B.C. Patil, Chief Whip in the Legislative Council Ravikumar, and former Ministers N. Mahesh and Bandeppa Kashempur.

Complaint against CM, others in MUDA scam

MLA Court hears argument; to pass orders on Aug. 13

Bengaluru, Aug. 10 (BCT)- The Special Court for Public Representatives (commonly called MLA/MP Court) in Bengaluru has reserved its order on the private complaint urging for a fair probe filed by Right To Information (RTI) activist from Mysuru Snehamayi Krishna against Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, his wife B.M. Parvathi and others in the alleged irregularities in Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA).

Judge Santhosh Gajanan Bhat adjourned the matter to Aug. 13 after hearing the arguments of senior counsel Lakshmi Iyengar yesterday. The Court will decide on whether there is *prima facie* material to refer the private complaint for an investigation by independent investigating agencies like the Lokayukta or the Central Bureau of Investigation.

Advocate Lakshmi Iyengar argued highlighting the alleged misuse of power by CM Siddaramaiah where, she said, that when **Siddaramaiah served as the Dy.CM, he facilitated the denotification of land on behalf of an individual who was not the rightful owner.** This land, located in Devanur village, had been developed by MUDA before 2004. Yet it was converted for other purposes.

"In 2004, the land was purchased from Devaraj by B.M. Mallikarjunaswamy, Siddaramaiah's brother-in-law. What is the source of funds used for the transaction?" Lakshmi Iyengar pointed out. The denotified land was purchased by Siddaramaiah's brother-in-law, who later gifted it to Parvathi in 2010, the advocate told the Court.

Lakshmi Iyengar raised questions over granting 14 compensatory sites at Vijayanagar, a posh area, to Parvathi, despite vacant sites being available in Devanur Layout, where the land was situated.

"After Mallikarjunaswamy gifted the land to Parvathi, there was a period of silence until Siddaramaiah assumed the role of CM in 2014. **Upon becoming the CM, Siddaramaiah requested compensation despite the land's questionable ownership," she argued.**

Devaraj from whom the land was purchased by Mallikarjunaswamy, was not the rightful owner. Thus, the subsequent ownership claims by Mallikarjunaswamy and, ultimately, B.M. Parvathi is invalid. Despite this, a request for replacement sites was made, which, according to Lakshmi Iyengar, was illegal.

The counsel contended that under the law, the CM's wife had no rightful claim to the 14 sites in question. **Even if she were entitled, the maximum permissible allocation would be 4,800 square metres.** However, she told the Court that the 14 sites were illegally obtained in a high-value bargain, suggesting an abuse of power by the CM.

CM Siddu visits Hill Temple

After holding** Janandolana **Convention yesterday, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, who stayed overnight in city, visited Chamundeshwari Temple atop Chamundi Hill this morning and sought the blessings of the presiding deity. Former MLA M.K. Somashekar, MUDA Chairman K. Marigowda, Sri Chamundeshwari Temple Development Authority Secretary M.J. Roopa, Temple Chief Priest Shashishekar Dixit and others were present. Later, CM Siddaramaiah left for Chamarajanagar to take part in the unveiling of former Governor late B. Rachaiah Memorial at Alur village. He will also participate at the inauguration of** Jalapatotsava **at Barachukki Falls in Kollegal before leaving to Bengaluru.

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The depth and breadth of MUDA scam, what is CM Siddaramaiah's share?

The depth and breadth of the illegal land allocation in the Mysore Urban Development Authority (MUDA) scam is mind-boggling. It is clear that the scam encompasses many illegal activities, including creation of fake documents, favoritism, obtaining alternate sites in the form of compensation for non-existent land and clear violation of rules even while seeking compensation.

The Chief Minister cannot escape from the scam claiming that when the land was allotted, there was a different government and his involvement is not recorded. He cannot escape liability by making frivolous claims. In this scam, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's wife Parvathi obtained 14 plots, which is not a simple matter. When one digs into the method of obtaining this land, the purpose for which compensation was obtained, in what context, and which plots were obtained as an alternative, many suspicious facts are seen.

The law passed in 2013 on land acquisition was implemented in MUDA in 2017. It stipulates 50:50 ratio of compensation for lands acquired subsequently.

But the land owned by Siddaramaiah's wife in Survey No. 464 was acquired on 6.1.1998. In other words, obtaining compensation in the ratio of 50:50 for land acquired much earlier is a clear case of violation. As per the KTCP Act 1962, one must be a special achiever to get a stray site allotted as a 25 percent grant. Else, it should be sold only by auction. The public wants to know what special achievement the CM's wife has to her credit to be eligible under this rule. When the darkasat (agriculture) land was signed away to Mallikarjuna Swamy (brother-in-law of Siddaramaiah) by Devaraj, son of Jawara, in whose name was the pahani (RTC) in? When Mallikarjuna Swamy gifted the same land to Parvathi Siddaramaiah, in whose name was the pahani in?

When these questions are probed, it is revealed that the property belongs to MUDA. This raises questions about the claims of ownership of the land itself. The Chief Minister is claiming that Survey No. 464 in Kesare village was dropped from the acquisition proceedings in 1998. It was agricultural land when the acquisition proceedings were dropped. The same land was converted in 2004 for non-agricultural purposes in the name of its original owner Ninga, who was already deceased. This raises the question whether it is possible to convert the land in the name.

MUDA scam: Things people need to know

- When Siddaramaiah's family purchased the land in Kesare, it was no longer agricultural land
- The land was already formed into a layout, and sites allotted to people in 2001. How were sites already allotted to people claimed to be agricultural land of his family? Is it legal to sell land as agricultural land when it is no longer so? Is it possible to make such transactions without the involvement of influential persons?
- Have the officers concerned visited the spot to give a report on whether it is agricultural land, or were fake documents created?
- The CM is questioning how his family's land can be given away to MUDA for free. But, the real question is, how is it possible for non-existent agricultural land to be acquired?

Questions without answers

1. Why was a huge amount allocated to the Corporation when the Election Model Code of Conduct was in force?
2. Isn't the transfer of money by the Corporation in haste while the Code of Conduct was in force suspicious?
3. Was the money transferred to Telangana because transferring money within the state would have drawn scrutiny?
4. How come the Finance Department was unaware when amounts beyond the stipulated Rs 3 crore were transferred to 16 different accounts?
5. Can Rs 100 crores of government funds be transferred to benami accounts without anyone's permission?
6. Is it not irresponsible for the person handling the Finance Department to claim that the government has nothing to do with the transfer of money?
7. How is it believable that low-rung officers managed the huge scam without the involvement or knowledge of higher-ups?
8. Isn't the entire amount transferred from the government's official account to benami accounts part of this corruption racket?

What is the Valmiki scam, accountability of CM

The scam in the Karnataka Maharshi Valmiki Scheduled Tribes Development Corporation came to light just as the Congress government completed one year in office. True to the Opposition's claim that Congress is synonymous with scams, it was caught red-handed in this case. The government is not in a position to deny the scam. It is clearly evident that a meticulous plan was hatched to transfer the money allotted for various schemes for the benefit of Scheduled Tribes to benami accounts. Without the support of influential and powerful people, it is impossible to transfer government funds so brazenly.

It is noticed that of the total Rs. 187.5 crore scam, Rs. 94.5 crore was transferred to 16 accounts in tranches of Rs. 4-6 crore each. It is customary in Karnataka to send the files related to payments beyond Rs. 3 crore to the Finance Department. The money transferred to these 16 accounts range from a minimum of Rs. 4.12 crore to a maximum of Rs. 5.98 crore. These files have, therefore, been sent to the Finance Department. The Finance portfolio is held by Siddaramaiah. This clearly means that the transfer of money took place right under the nose of the Chief Minister. It leaves no doubt that Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, who is also the Finance Minister, is directly responsible for this scam. Another point of concern is that when any government department has to open a new bank account and transfer amounts exceeding Rs. 100 crores, they have to get approval from the Finance Department, according to the rules framed by the government. The question is how Siddaramaiah, who is also the Finance Minister and his officers allowed the opening of the new accounts without their approval. This raises the doubt whether verbal instructions were given in this matter. Apart from that, it appears that the remaining amount of Rs. 89 crore has been transferred to 700 people. All of them appear to be the accounts of friends of the officials of the corporation and partners in the scam who were in touch constantly. It is clear that these 700 people who were in touch with the accused - Satya Rajavarma and Sai Teja - do not belong to the Valmiki community. That means the money that belonged to the Scheduled Tribes has been transferred to benami accounts. Also, it is certain that amounts ranging from Rs 5 lakh to Rs 2 crore have been transferred to these accounts. The SIT team has already learnt that no reasons were assigned for these illegal transfers, and no certificates are attached.

Apart from this, the Central Government has allocated Rs 42.97 crore in the year 2022-23 for the development of Scheduled Tribes of Karnataka. Another Rs 40.70 crores was allocated in the year 2023- 24 for infrastructure and housing development. It is significant that the utilization certificate for these funds has not been issued in the last 13 months. It raises suspicion that this Rs 83 crore too has been gobbled up in a similar manner

The main issue

- **Rs 187.5 crore scam**
- **Huge amounts transferred to 16 accounts without reason**
- **Each transfer is between Rs 4-6 crores**

The conspiracy !

There is no doubt that the whole scam would have been covered up if officer Chandrasekaran had not committed suicide. The scam came to light solely due to his suicide. The transfer of government funds to benami accounts was confirmed by the investigation of the SIT, which was formed by the government itself. Only a part of the money deposited in the benami accounts has been seized. The government is claiming that the money in the cooperative accounts also belongs to it. This is a clear attempt to hide the seriousness of the scam and whitewash the issue.

Why the 40-day delay in questioning B Nagendra?

Why his name does not figure in the charge sheet of the SIT?

The SIT did not bother to seek out former minister B. Nagendra for 40 days after starting its investigation. It was only after the Enforcement Directorate started investigating the benami money transfer scam that the SIT, formed by the State Government, summoned former minister B Nagendra for questioning. There was no talk about the involvement or role of MLA Basanagouda Daddal, the Chairman of the Corporation. Later, when the SIT filed the charge sheet, the names of both Nagendra and Daddal were missing. This further strengthens the suspicion that the scam was well-planned.

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Congress throws its weight behind CM Siddaramaiah at *Janandolana* rally

Done no wrong and won't budge: Siddaramaiah

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Amid mounting pressure by the BJP-JD(S) combine on Chief Minister Siddaramaiah to quit over his alleged role in MUDA (Mysuru Urban Development Authority) scam, the ruling Congress party Legislators, Cabinet Ministers and leaders threw their weight behind Siddaramaiah at the *Janandolana* rally organised by the State Congress as a counter to the Opposition's *Mysuru Chalo Padayatra* from Bengaluru, at the sprawling Maharaja college grounds here yesterday.

Addressing the massive gathering, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah made it clear that he had done no wrong in either MUDA or Valmiki Development Corporation scams and firmly ruled out any possibility of his resignation. Asserting that his 4-decade long political career has been devoted to ensuring justice to the poor, backward classes, Dalits, Minorities , women and farmers,has remained spotless, Siddaramaiah said "Let the BJP and the JD(S) join each other and take out as many *padayatras* or rallies as they wish. I will not budge to their demands of resignation".

"What they hate is not me as a person, but the pro-people schemes I have implemented, the principle of social justice I believe in, my faith in secularism, my honesty and my transparent behaviour", he maintained.

Dismissing the 'false 'allegations levelled against him by the Opposition as baseless, Siddaramaiah said his wife had been allotted sites by the previous BJP regime as compensation for 3.16 acres of her land on which a Layout was developed by MUDA. Though his wife had filed an application for compensatory sites in 2014 when he was the CM, Siddaramaiah said he had then instructed MUDA not to allot any sites as long as he was at the helm of the State.

Attacking Union Steel and Heavy Industries Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy (HDK) for his alleged involvement in Jantakal Mining scam, Siddaramaiah questioned HDK whether he was not ashamed to seek his (Siddu) resignation. Training his guns on opposition leader R. Ashoka, Siddaramaiah accused Ashoka of being involved in the land scam in Bengaluru's B.M. Kaval.

Maintaining that the leaders of the BJP and the JD(S) were themselves facing charges of corruption and nepotism, Siddaramaiah wondered what moral right does the opposition leaders have to seek his resignation.

Referring to the showcause notice issued to him by Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot in connection with a petition seeking permission for his prosecution in the alleged MUDA scam, Siddaramaiah questioned the Governor over pending requests for sanction of prosecution against H.D. Kumaraswamy and former BJP Ministers Murugesh Nirani and Shashikala Jolle.

Pointing out that the Lokayukta Police had sought the Governor's sanction for prosecuting HDK and former BJP Ministers Nirani and Jolle, the CM wondered why the Governor has taken no action in this regard, while at the same time, he (Governor) had acted in lightning speed in his case.

No word on cleansing MUDA; Netas focus on political barbs

Leaders resort to personal attacks; question on how to stem the rot in MUDA remains unanswered

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RK&BCT)- The *Janandolana* rally by the Congress party held yesterday at Maharaja's College Grounds, in response to the valedictory of BJP-JD(S) *Mysuru Chalo Padayatra* scheduled at the same venue today, failed to provide any answers on how the State Government plans to address the deep-seated corruption issues within the Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA).

MUDA, the focal point of the BJP-JD(S) campaign targeting the Congress and Chief Minister Siddaramaiah over alleged corrupt dealings, was overshadowed by a display of justifications, personal attacks, and political mudslinging at the Congress rally.

The real issue — how to reform MUDA and what steps the Government will take to combat corruption within the Authority — was left unaddressed.

Despite the rally's timing and intent to address the long-standing MUDA scandal, no leader — including the Chief Minister, Deputy CM, or other key figures — mentioned the critical issue of allocating sites to 80,000 eligible applicants who have been waiting to build own houses since decades. Instead, the focus was on defending themselves and their families, leaving the plight of these applicants unaddressed.

The rally, which saw thousands transported from various districts, failed to discuss development or address the issues faced by the long-suffering applicants. Instead, leaders engaged in political animosity and personal insults.

Today's BJP-JD(S) rally, also focused on the MUDA scandal, risks following a similar pattern, with political grandstanding overshadowing the real issues at hand. It is deeply disappointing that rather than focusing on investigating the MUDA plot allocation scandal and addressing issues to benefit the common people, the rallies have turned into platforms for mutual accusations, counter-accusations, and political speeches.

The glaring absence of discussion about cleaning up the corruption-ridden MUDA is particularly concerning, especially with key leaders present. No assurances were given about curbing corruption or safeguarding public assets.

Despite the presence of top officials — including the Chief Minister, Deputy Chief Minister, District Minister, Urban Development Minister, MUDA Chairman and other prominent figures — there was no mention of addressing tainted MUDA. The primary objective of MUDA is to systematically develop Mysuru by creating residential layouts and allocating sites to eligible applicants according to the rules. Yet, no political leader has even touched upon this issue in their speeches.

Both the Congress and Opposition parties have failed to address public welfare or propose solutions to rid MUDA of its corruption.

DKS trains guns on HDK, threatens to expose his denotification cases

The *Janandolana* rally provided a platform for Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar (DKS), who is also the KPCC President, to train his guns on Union Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy (HDK).

Threatening to disclose and make public '50 denotification' cases involving HDK, Shivakumar said he was tipped off by officials on the cases against HDK and he would soon gather information and expose his corrupt deeds and deals. The Lokayukta had also written to the Governor seeking permission to probe and question HDK, but he joined hands with the BJP to save his skin, Shivakumar said.

Continuing his tirade against HDK, the Deputy CM said that the Union Minister did not allow anybody in the JD(S) to grow and even Siddaramaiah who was the Deputy Chief Minister when he was in the JD(S) was not spared. Stating that none of the 17 MPs who were in the JD(S) when H.D. Devegowda became the Prime Minister in 1996, are in that party at present, Shivakumar maintained that the JD(S) is a party run by a family.

Shivakumar also accused HDK of foisting a case against his nephew Prajwal Revanna so as to ensure the political growth of his son Nikhil Kumaraswamy.

Training his guns on the BJP, Shivakumar said the BJP had overthrown many Opposition Governments through 'Operation Lotus', but it cannot replicate the same this time around in Karnataka. He further said that the Opposition is under the delusion that it can bring down the state Congress Government, which is impossible, considering the fact that the Congress has a big majority with 136 MLAs, with a vote share of 43 percent in the 2023 Assembly polls.

AICC General Secretary incharge of Karnataka Randeep Singh Surjewala in his address, said Siddaramaiah has been working for the downtrodden, backward classes and the poor.

Mysuru Chalo Padayatra reaches city

Mysuru, Aug.10 (MK&VNS)- The *Mysuru Chalo Padayatra* jointly organised by BJP and JD(S) demanding the resignation of CM Siddaramaiah alleging his involvement in site scam in Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) and Karnataka Maharshi Valmiki Scheduled Tribes Development Corporation Ltd., scam, reached city with leaders from both the parties arriving at Manipal Hospital junction at about 6 pm yesterday.

The *padayatra* that began on Aug. 3 from Kengeri in Bengaluru passed through Ramanagar, Channapatna, Maddur, Mandya and Srirangapatna, before reaching Mysuru. Leaders of both the parties addressed public rallies during the *padayatra* accusing the Congress Government in State of being involved in corruption and levelling charges against CM Siddaramaiah and other Congress leaders.

On their arrival at Manipal Hospital junction, party workers of both BJP-JD(S) welcomed their leaders with a huge pineapple garland. Despite rains, the Opposition party leaders including Leader of Opposition in Assembly R. Ashok, former Dy.CM Dr. C.N. Ashwathnarayan, former Ministers B. Sriramulu, M.P. Renukacharya and S.R Mahesh, BJP State President B.Y. Vijayendra, former MP Prathap Simha, JD(S) State Youth President Nikhil Kumaraswamy, MLAs T.S. Srivatsa, G.D. Harish Gowda continued their *padayatra* till J.K. Ground shouting slogans against Congress Government.

Nikhil Kumaraswamy broke a coconut on service road when the *padayatra* entered the Mysuru border crossing Srirangapatna.

Leaders angry with Police: Leaders and workers of both BJP-JD(S) expressed their anguish over Police move after they were stopped just 2 kms away from Mysuru, citing the increase in the number of footfalls in city with Congress organising *Janandolana* rally. The BJP-JD(S) leaders were asked to wait till normalcy returned, which triggered an argument with the Police.

Later, speaking to the media-persons, Nikhil Kumaraswamy said that Union Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy will be giving a fitting reply to Congress party during the valedictory of *Mysuru Chalo* Convention in Mysuru. He also thanked the party works for their continued support during the *padayatra*.

B.Y. Vijayendra urging party both BJP-JD(S) workers to be present for the convention said that, the blessings of rain god with showers blessings during the commencement of *padayatra* on Aug. 3 and culmination on Aug. 9, after offering prayers to Goddesses Chamundeshwari and Kempamma was a good omen in their fight against Congress Government.

Thought Siddu will quit as CM in Convention: R. Ashoka

Leader of Opposition in Legislative Assembly R. Ashoka addressing media persons at City BJP Office yesterday as others look on.

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (SBD& BS)- Leader of Opposition in Legislative Assembly R. Ashoka has said, the fight against ruling Congress Government won't stop with the valedictory of *Mysuru Chalo Padayatra*, but will continue till Siddaramaiah resigns as the Chief Minister.

He was addressing media persons at City BJP Office, following the culmination of Congress *Janandolana* Convention, in the city yesterday.

Ashoka said, the convention of Congress leaders who are claiming to be clean is over, but fell short of what we had expected to be of a bigger scale. Siddaramaiah has reiterated what he has been harping on all these days, saying he is clean handed in 40 years of his political life.

Siddaramaiah asked the gathering for about 100 times —Am I corrupt? Do I commit any wrong? —It is natural for people, who were lured with money to the convention, to reply with NO, said Ashoka.

Why afraid of probe?

"I just want to ask Siddaramaiah, if he is unblemished and non-corrupt, why is he afraid of handing over the probe into the scam at Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) to either Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) or Lokayukta. If you (Siddaramaiah) are rattled over the show cause notice issued by the Governor, what would be your State, if the Governor gives his approval for prosecution? We too don't have anything against CM's wife, but our argument is that the CM had influenced authorities over the allocation of 14 sites to his wife in a prime locality," said Ashoka.

Siddaramaiah should step down from office and return the sites, besides taking steps to take back all the sites allotted under 50:50 scheme by MUDA. The fight against CM will continue till all these demands were met and the probe handed over to CBI, said Ashoka.

Admitted to scam

Siddaramaiah and KPCC President D.K. Shivakumar defended selves, denying any irregularities at Karnataka Maharshi Valmiki Scheduled Tribes (ST) Development Corporation Limited. But, changed their stance, the moment Enforcement Directorate (ED) launched the probe, acknowledging Rs. 187 crore scam against what was believed to be Rs. 89 crore scam. But still, Siddaramaiah is asking what is his role in the scam? With Finance portfolio also with the CM, why didn't he verify into the misuse of funds belonging to Valmiki Corporation? It has later emerged during the probe that, the funds were diverted to Telangana for Lok Sabha poll expenses and the nitty-gritty behind how the amount was transferred, said Ashoka.

"Our fight has reached its logical end to an extent and I have furnished 59 documents in this regard. But the CM has been misleading people by uttering lies," said Ashoka.

Scams after scams

The CM has accused BJP of adopting Goebbels method to prove the point, besides claiming that no scam had occurred in MUDA. If that was the case, why did Congress leaders upped their ante, when we launched *Mysuru Chalo Padayatra*. They have been speaking about exposing the scams during BJP Government, which they could have done at Assembly session itself. You claim to be clean, but who is behind Redo scam in Arkavathy Layout in Bengaluru? What is the status of report submitted by Justice Kempanna Commission? At least reveal the findings of Kempanna Commission before people. Should we wait for the report of One-Man Judicial Commission of P.N. Desai, constituted to probe into MUDA scam, for 25 to 30 years? asked Ashoka.

Abraham as blackmailer?

When Activist T.J. Abraham filed complaints against BJP leaders, Siddaramaiah had lauded him, but now he has been calling him as a blackmailer for complaining to the Governor against him. If CM feels, Abraham is a blackmailer, let the Government take measures to withdraw the case filed by the same Abraham against former CM B.S. Yediyurappa in Supreme Court, demanded Ashoka.

"Siddaramaiah has been practicing double standards and calls himself clean. But it's for the people to decide, whether you are clean," said Ashoka, addressing Siddaramaiah in singular.

Dalit's land grabbed

The land belonging to dalits has been usurped illegally, by portraying it as the property belonging to an individual, but originally belongs to 27 claimants. It is impossible to de-notify any land identified for notification. But in this case, the CM had indulged in nepotism with the ulterior motive of grabbing the land, said Ashoka, lambasting the CM.

At *Janandolana* Convention, you have announced to dig deep into the scams of JD(S) supremo and former Prime Minister H.D. Deve Gowda and his family members. If you were really serious, why did you form the coalition Government, in alliance with the regional party, twice in the past. But now, you have been blaming us, for raking up MUDA scam, said Ashoka.

Saying that, there is no truth in the allegations of misusing Raj Bhavan, Ashoka asked the Congress leaders to approach the Governor directly. Be it any party, let the Governor take action without any mercy, said Ashoka.

'DKS wants to be CM by December'

In a sarcastic tone, R. Ashoka said, Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar has discussed among those in his coterie, about the predictions of Ajjaiah (the deity he believes in) that, if not by this December, the chances of him becoming CM later are grim.

"Shivakumar wants Siddaramaiah to step down, but at the outset has been claiming that he has been guarding Siddaramaiah like a rock," said Ashoka. To a query on their own party MLA Basangouda Patil Yatnal resuming his outbursts against the party leaders, Ashoka said, the Central leaders have already spoken to Yatnal.

He also exuded confidence that, former Hassan MLA Preetham Gowda will mend his behaviour, as it is natural for harbouring minor differences, but both BJP and JD(S) parties will go along well as a blend of 'Milk and Honey,' ironing out all the differences.

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Paris Olympics - 2024

Aman Sehrawat wins bronze in wrestling

Paris, Aug. 10 (Agencies)- In a stunning display of talent and perseverance, 21-year-old Aman Sehrawat won a bronze medal in the men's 57kg freestyle wrestling at the Paris 2024 Olympics, yesterday.

The young wrestler defeated Puerto Rico's Darian Cruz with a commanding 13-5 score line in the bronze medal bout, securing India's fifth bronze and sixth overall medal at the Games.

Making his Olympic debut, Aman was the sole male wrestler representing India in Paris. His victory not only makes him the country's first wrestling medallist at these Games but also the youngest Indian in history to achieve an Olympic podium finish. Aman's triumph at the Olympics adds to his growing list of accolades, including the Asian Championship title and a bronze medal at the Asian Games last year. His success in Paris is a testament to his hard work and dedication and has brought immense pride to the nation.

Olympic medals under spotlight after complaints from athletes

Washington, Aug. 10 (Agencies)- The quality of the Olympic medals awarded to athletes at Paris 2024 has come under scrutiny after a Team USA skateboarder claimed the bronze medal he won had deteriorated after just a week.

Nyjah Huston, who came third in the men's skateboard street, said in a video posted to Instagram that his bronze was already chipped and losing its colour days after winning it.

He said the medal was looking like "it went to war and back" and added that it was "not as high quality as you'd think" as the bronze appeared to have rubbed off.

The Olympic medals handed out in Paris feature a piece of recycled scrap metal from the Eiffel Tower — and more than 5,000 of them have been produced by France's mint for the Games.

"Alright, so these Olympic medals look great when they're brand new,' Huston said in the post to his five million followers. "But after letting it sit on my skin with some sweat for a little bit and letting my friends wear it over the weekend..." he continued, before zooming in on the medal to show its condition.

"They're apparently not as high quality as you'd think... It's looking rough... I don't know, Olympic medals, we gotta step up the quality a little bit."

While his bronze at Paris was his first medal at the Olympics, the 29-year-old has won skateboarding gold 12 times at the X Games and six times at the World Championships. The American has also won several silver and bronze medals across both competitions.

Meanwhile, Great Britain diver Yasmin Harper also revealed that her Olympic medal has "small bits of tarnishing" on it after skateboarder Nyjah Huston criticised the quality of his bronze.

Harper won Team GB's first medal of the Games, taking bronze with partner Scarlett Mew Jensen in the women's 3m synchronised springboard diving final and admitted that her medal has also been affected.

INDIA'S SCHEDULE AUGUST 10

PARIS 2024

GOLF

WOMEN'S INDIVIDUAL

Aditi Ashok and Diksha Dagar — 12.30 pm onwards

WRESTLING

WOMEN'S 76KG FREESTLYE - ROUND OF 16

Reetika Hooda VS **Hungary's Bernadett Nagy** — 2.51 pm

78th Independence Day

Flag hoisting at Torch Light Parade Grounds

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) Dr. P. Shivaraju has said that the 78th Independence Day celebrations is being organised on Aug. 15 at Torch Light Parade Grounds in Bannimantap here.

District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa will hoist the National Flag at 9 am. All the District-level officers/ staff, including Board, Corporation and Autonomous organisations, must hoist the Tricolour before 8 am at the respective offices/ schools and colleges and participate at the main event without fail.

A temporary office of District-level National Festivals Chairman is being opened at the entrance of the venue and the officials/ employees attending the function must compulsorily sign in the attendance register kept there. Every district-level officer must ensure that his subordinates compulsorily attend the I-Day function without fail.

Action will be taken against officials/staff who fail to attend the function, says a press release issued by the ADC.

'Vastra Utsav' at Urban Haat

Mysuru, Aug. 10- JSS Mysore Urban Haat has organised a three-day clothing festival, 'Vastra Utsav-2024 on the occasion of Varamahalakshmi festival from Aug. 9 to 11.

The event will be open from 10 am to 9 pm.

This is a unique opportunity for art enthusiasts in Mysuru to explore and purchase a wide range of products.

The main attractions at the event include: Silk sarees from various States like Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, West Bengal and more; Handloom products from different regions; Handicrafts and artisanal products.

The event offers a platform for artisans to directly sell their products to customers.

Nataka Academy Award for Prasad Kundur

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Prasad Kundur of the city's Nirantara Foundation has been selected for the prestigious Karnataka Nataka Academy Annual Award for the year 2023-24.

Kundur has been active in the theatre for the past three decades as an actor, Director, Playwright, Designer and theatre organiser. As a student of the Maharaja's College, Kundur was one of the Founder-Members of 'Nelalu Belaku' and was a Founder-Member of 'Janamana' troupe when studying at Manasagangothri.

Prasad Kundur

Power disruption on Aug. 12, 13

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (KS) - Due to emergency maintenance works to be taken up on Aug. 12 and 13, there will be disruption in power supply in the following places:

Aug. 12 from 10 am to 6 pm: Shankar Mutt, Uttaradi Mutt, Agrahara, Ramanuja Road 1st Cross till 4th Cross, Sunnadakeri, Thyagaraja Road, Hosakeri and surrounding areas; Hasbalu, G.V. Gudi. Farm Gate, Daithanakere Kaaval, Maaranahalli and Periyar villages.

Aug. 13 from 10 am to 6 pm: Cauvery Hospital, Yaraganahalli, Vidyanagar, Raghavendra Layout, Teresian College and surrounding areas; Tallur, Doora, Doddakaatur, Murudagalli, Hallikere Hundi and surrounding areas.

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Bheema (K)	(S-2)	10.05 am
	(S-4)	10 am, 1 pm, 4 pm, 7 pm, 10 pm
Deadpool & Wolverine (E-3D)	(S-1)	10.55 am, 1.35 pm 4.20 pm, 7.10 pm
Committee Kurrollu (Te)	(S-1)	9.55 pm
Minmini (Ta)	(S-2)	1 pm
Kalki 2898 AD (Te-3D)	(S-2)	3.50 pm
Raayan (Ta)	(S-2)	7.15 pm
Adios Amigo (Ma)	(S-2)	10.05 pm
Kabandha (K)	(S-3)	10.35 am
Genius Mutta (K)	(S-3)	1.20 pm
Andhagan : The pianist (Ta)	(S-3)	4 pm
It ends with us (E)	(S-3)	7 pm, 9.40 pm

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Andhagan (Ta)	(S-1)	1.30 pm, 6.30 pm
Pechi (Ta)	(S-1)	4.15 pm
Super Zindagi (Ma)	(S-1)	9.15 pm
Bheema (K)	(S-2)	9.30 am,12.30 pm, 3.30, 6.30, 9.30 pm
	(S-3)	4.45 pm, 7.45 pm
Raayan (Ta)	(S-4)	1.15 pm, 9.30 pm

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Borderlands (E)	:	9.40 am, 12 noon, 5.20 pm 7.40 pm, 10.15 pm
Bheema (K)	:	9.50 am,11.45 am, 1 pm, 4.10 pm 6.35 pm, 7.20 pm, 10.30 pm
Blackpink World Tour Born Pink in Cinemas (Korean)	:	10.20 am, 4.50 pm
Ulajh (H)	:	11 am
Trailers Screening Show	:	12 noon
Deadpool & Wolverine (E-3D)	:	12.35 pm, 9.30 pm
Deadpool & Wolverine (H-3D)	:	6.35 pm
It Ends With Us (E)	:	12.35 pm, 6.25 pm, 9.45 pm
Andhagan (Ta)	:	1.55 pm
Kalki 2898 AD (Ta)	:	2.55 pm, 10 pm
Ghuspaithiya (H)	:	3.30 pm
Raayan (Ta)	:	3.30 pm
Partner (H)	:	7.05 pm
Adios Amigo (Ma)	:	9.20 pm

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Bheema (K)	:	9.20 am, 11 am, 12.30 pm, 3.40 pm 5.20 pm, 6.50 pm, 8.30 pm, 10 pm
Deadpool & Wolverine (E-3D)	:	12.15 pm, 6.05 pm
Kabandha (K)	:	12.45 pm
Committee Kurrollu (Te)	:	2.10 pm
Andhagan (Ta)	:	3.10 pm
Idu Entha Lokavayya (K)	:	3.30 pm
Raayan (Ta)	:	6.05 pm. 9.30 pm

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Trailers Screening Show	:	10.25 am
Deadpool & Wolverine (E-3D)	:	10.30 am, 7.25 pm
Ghuspaithiya (H)	:	11.05 am, 5.05 pm
Minmini (Ta)	:	1.25 pm
Raayan (Ta)	:	2 pm
Andhagan (Ta)	:	4.30 pm
Chak De! India (H)	:	10 pm
Kalki 2898 AD (E)	:	10.20 pm

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Deadpool & Wolverine (E-3D)	:	10.20 am, 4.20 pm, 10.20 pm
Idu Entha Lokavayya (K)	:	11.35 am
Ghuspaithiya (H)	:	1.15 pm, 10.30 pm
Raayan (Ta)	:	1.15 pm, 7.15 pm, 10.10 pm
Kabandha (K)	:	2.10 pm
Genius Mutta (K)	:	4.55 pm
Super Zindagi (Ma)	:	7.20 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15.

EVENTS TODAY (AUG. 10)

- **Impressionz:** 'Delhi Drapes' designers expo, Hotel Southern Star, Vinoba Road, **up to 8.30 pm.**
- **JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Mysuru:** 'Vastra Utsav' - expo-cum-sale of silk sarees, handloom & handicraft products, JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Hebbal, **up to 9 pm.**
- **Simon Exhibitors:** 'Karnataka Sambhrama-50,' Consumer Expo marking golden jubilee of renaming Mysore State as Karnataka, Dasara Expo Grounds, **4 pm to 9.30 pm.**
- **Champaka Educational and Cultural Trust:** 'Champaka Rashtreeya Kalaa Utsava - Aashaada edition,' Mahajana Education Society Hon. Secretary Dr. T. Vijayalakshmi Muralidhar chief guest, Bharatanatyam by Junior Students of Vidu. Dr. Nagalakshmi Nagarajan of Champaka Academy; Bharatanatyam by Vidu. Amrutha Shashank, Founder-Director of Kaarunya Dance Academy, Bengaluru along with her disciples; Bharatanatyam feature by Vidu. Gowri Priya Sethuram, Founder of Tripura Paathshaala Dance School and Indian Shades, Mysuru and disciples; Champaka Academy premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **4.30 pm.**
- **Kalasuruchi, Kutuhali-Kannada and The Academy Trust:** Kathe Kelona Banni - 840, story-telling by retd. HM Shanmukharadhya, **4.30 pm to 5.30 pm;** Science Sanje, Dr. Arkasubhra Ghosh, Director, GROW Research Laboratory, Bengaluru, delivers talk on 'Gene Therapy: Pleasure and Pain,' Suruchi Rangamane, Chitrabhanu Road, Kuvempunagar, **6.30 pm to 7.30 pm.**
- **Guttigedarara Credit Co-operative Society Ltd.:** Pratibha Puraskar presentation to children of contractors, MP Yaduveer Wadiyar chief guest, retd. Professor Dr. S.N. Rangaraju main speaker, Rio Meridian auditorium, near Highway Circle, **5 pm.**
- **Jhankar Nritya Shikshaayaatan - Kathak Dance School:** 'Kathak Abhiyaan - Temple to Shantiniketan' 2024, Annual Day Programme, Ganabharathi's Ramagovinda Kalavedike, Kuvempunagar, **5 pm to 8 pm.** [Entry is free]
- **District Kannada Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru:** Conferring of Dr. Malali Vasanthakumar Endowment Award on retd. Professor and Scholar Prof. RaGow; ADC Dr. P. Shivaraj inaugurates, Parishat premises, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **5 pm.**
- **Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City Unit and Kadali Mahila Vedike, Mysuru:** 'Vachana-Shravana - Mane Manege Shravana Sandesha,' lecture by G.L. Tripurantaka (Co-ordinator, JSS Educational Institution, Suttur), Arya Ediga Students Hostel, Vijayanagar 3rd Stage, **5.30 pm.**
- **Ladies Circle India Area-13 and Round Table India and 41 Clubs of India:** Massive yoga awareness drive, Nexus Mall, Mysuru, **5.30 pm to 8.30 pm.**
- **Suttur Mutt, Mysuru:** Shravana Masa Pujanushtana and Discourse Series, Dr. K. Anantaramu delivers discourse on 'Shivatatva Chintamani,' written by Lakkanna Dandesha; Vaachana by Vidushi M.V. Shubha Raghavendra, Suttur Mutt, foot of Chamundi Hill, **6.30 pm to 7.30 pm.**
- **Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha:** Dr. K. Srikantaiah Memorial Programme - Karnatak Classical Saxophone Recital by Vid. Harish Pandava, Sabha premises, JLB Road, **6 pm.**
- **Sri Avadhoota Datta Peetham and Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashram:** 21st Chaturmasya Vrata Deeksha by junior pontiff Sri Datta Vijayananda Teertha Swamiji, Chaturmasya Discourse on Sri Brahmanda Purana, Universal Prayer Hall, Ashram premises, **6.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (AUG. 11)

- **Atharva Life Skills Foundation:** Public Speaking Free Workshop by Mohammed Bilal Siddiqui, #189/1, opp. Ganabharathi, Kuvempunagar, **10 am.**
- **JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Mysuru:** 'Vastra Utsav,' JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Hebbal, **10 am to 9 pm.**
- **Pariksha Spoorthi Foundation:** State-level 'Shikshaka Sadhaka Ratna' Award Presentation, MLC K. Vivekananda inaugurates, Mysuru District Kannada Sahitya Parishat President Maddikere Gopal presides, Dr. Sri Shivarathri Rajendra Bhavan, JSS Hospital premises, **10.30 am.**
- **Kannada Sahitya Kalakoota, Mysuru and Karnataka Rajya Hindulida Vargagala Jagruta Vedike:** Commemorating Independence Day celebrations, exhibition of the portraits of freedom fighters, drawn by artist U.G. Mohan Kumar Aradhya, MLC Dr. D. Thimmaiah inaugurates, honouring of farmers by journalist Amshi Prasannakumar, pro-farmer activist Prof. K.C. Basavaraju presides, Suchitra Art Gallery, Kalamandira premises, **10.30 am.**
- **Dr. Vijayalakshmi Basavaraj Charitable Society and AIISH:** Lecture on 'How evil is development' by Prof. V.K. Nataraj, Seminar Hall, Knowledge Park, AIISH premises, **11 am.**
- **Simon Exhibitors:** 'Karnataka Sambhrama-50' Expo Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **4 pm to 9.30 pm.**
- **District Kannada Sahitya Parishat and Olavu Foundation, Mysuru:** Independence Day celebrations and prize distribution ceremony of 'Navu Bharatiyaru' patriotic songs singing competition, MDJA President K. Deepak inaugurates, Mysuru District Kannada Sahitya Parishat President Maddikere Gopal presides, retd. Professor A. Rangaswamy distributed prizes, Rajya Vokkaligara Vikasa Vedike President H.L. Yamuna chief guest, Olavu Foundation Founder-President Robert E. Kavanrag programme convenor, Kannada Sahitya Bhavan, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **4.30 pm.**
- **Prashanthi Sansthan:** 'Prapatthi' Dance Festival, Bharatanatyam by disciples of Harshini Purushothama, Bharatanatyam exponent Guru Vid. K. Sandesh Bhargav inaugurates, Sanskrit scholar Dr. Deepak Bhat chief guest, Kannada scholar Dr. Jyothi Shankar presides, Ganabharathi's Ramagovinda Kalavedike, Kuvempunagar, **5 pm.**
- **Pt. Rajeev Taranath Memorial Trust and Kannada & Culture Department:** Sarod maestro Pt. Rajeev Taranath Memorial Programme, Dr. Vijaya, Pt. Nayan Ghosh, Dr. Jayant Kaikini and Vidwan T.M. Krishna will share their memories of the maestro, Dr. Dharanidevi Malagatti (Director of Kannada & Culture Department) presides, H. Janardhan (former Director of Rangayana, Mysuru) will present songs from the play 'Kuri,' sitar recital by Nayan Ghosh with Ishan Ghosh on tabla, screening of excerpts from documentary 'Pt. Rajeev Taranath - A Life in Music,' Trust premises, Saraswathipuram, **5 pm.** [Mob: 99000-82773]
- **Sharana Sahitya Parishat and Kadali Mahila Vedike:** 'Vachana-Shravana - Mane Manege Shravana Masada Shravana Sandesha,' lecture by H.S. Ambika (Asst. Professor, SJCE), residence of Vimala Lingaraju, No. 579, 1st Cross, Rajarajeshwarinagar, BEML 2nd Stage, **5.30 pm.**
- **Natana School of Theatre Arts:** Staging of play 'Chora Charanadasa,' School premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**

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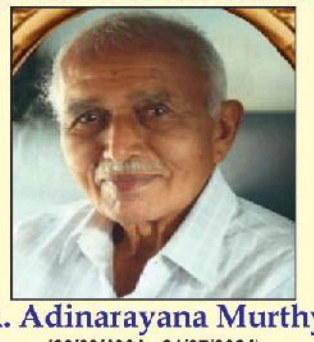

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